GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM AND CULTURE
LOK SABHA

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CBI INQUIRY AGAINST ASI OFFICIALS
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Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the CBI has registered cases against some of the officials of ASI, Bangalore Circle; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the action taken in the matter ?

Answer

MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI ANANTH KUMAR)

(a) & (b): The CBI has registered a case on 30.04.1998 against the following officials of the Bangalore Circle of the Archaeological Survey of India for embezzlement of funds and corruption :

1. Shri K.P. Poonacha, formerly Superintending Archaeologist

2. Shri C. Rangappa, Assistant Superintending Archaeological Engineer

3. Shri H.S. Rudrappa, Junior Accounts Officer

The matter is under investigation.